

Our Neighbors

Lake City.

Rev. Bennett, of Columbus, Ind., preached at the M. E. church last Sunday night.

Rev. Hill, of Hammond, was in our village Tuesday, arranging for a baptizing to be held at the creek, northeast of town, on Thursday, August 5. The exact number of applicants is not known.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner, died at the residence of Mr. John Sampson, northeast of here on Tuesday, August 3. The funeral services were held at Adkin's chapel, Wednesday morning, conducted by Mr. Godwin, of this place.

Mrs. Lydia Shirey is ill at present writing. The attending physician has announced the symptoms as those of typhoid fever.

The postoffice will change hands about the middle of this month, when G. L. Siders will take charge and distribute the mail.

The gross receipts of the supper given by the ladies of the M. E. church last Saturday night was \$12. A good time was enjoyed by all present.

The members of the Christian church have added quite a good deal to the appearance of their church on the inside by papering the walls, using some varnish and hanging blinds over the windows.

El Odor and G. B. Matherly departed Monday for Iowa to run their machine during threshing season.

William Winings is in Iowa looking after his threshing outfit. H. E. Lichner left Tuesday morning to help him run it.

B. W. Godwin expects to leave soon. He anticipates moving to Ewing where he will enter on a four year course in college, preparing for the ministry.

Maros.

The Volunteer band gave the temperance drama "A Drunkard's Home" at their tent on Tuesday evening.

Miss Lottie Crowell is visiting relatives at New York.

Rev. E. B. Miner preached at Bloomington last Sunday.

Misses Louise Crocker and Ada Mayall gave a picnic at Pasture park Monday afternoon for the Knott. Misses Y. M. C. A. boys and Maros friends.

Miss Grace Marquis, of Monticello, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Currier.

Miss Augustine returned to her home in Decatur Tuesday, after a visit with Miss Mattie Sterling.

Mr. D. J. Moyer returned Friday from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. L. Y. Adams, at Minneapolis.

Mrs. H. S. Chapman and daughter, Miss Lora, visited friends in Clinton Monday and Tuesday.

W. C. Dine has returned from Michigan, where he was called by the illness of his brother, Robert. He reports his brother as greatly improved.

J. B. Rogers and J. Johnson, of Clinton, were in town Saturday.

Miss Mary Mayall, of Argenta, is visiting her sister, Vada.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Rutledge have returned from Iowa.

Miss Lou Kemp visited friend at Elmwood Thursday.

Mrs. R. T. Hardin has taken charge of the school boarding house.

J. A. Sheppard, of Mowqua, is visiting the families of James Buddle and L. Hoby.

Mrs. Susan Conover returned Thursday from a month's visit with Solon Royal and wife, at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Catherine Sweeney and daughter, Mr. E. W. McMullen, were guests of D. J. Moyer and family on Sunday.

Six Y. M. C. A. young men from Knox college held services at the Presbyterian church on Saturday evening. Also at the M. E. church on Sunday afternoon and evening. A collection was taken for the state work of the Y. M. C. A.

Lusher.

Continued hot and dry weather lowers the corn crop prospect.

Threshing is now in full at Ours are yielding from 40 to 50 bushels per acre.

John A. Dawson and family of Decatur, spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Emmit Towner purchased a new wheel in Decatur last week of Starr & Son.

Selwyn Blythe and his aunt, Miss Turpin, returned Monday from a four days' visit with friends at relatives near Kenney.

Miss Grace Myers of Decatur, spent a part of last week among relatives near this village.

Elmer Mills spent last week with his mother, Mrs. L. M. Glazebrook, of Kenney, returning Saturday.

Mr. Noah Tobill, Jr., state attorney of Lawrence county, spent a few days last week with relatives here. Mr. Tobill had attended the meeting of state's attorneys at Bloomington and stopped off here on his way home. He was formerly a resident here.

Mims.

New oats are coming in pretty fast at present, quality fair.

Misses Jennie and Carrie Burns, of Belmont, were in town for a while Tuesday.

Mrs. Halson and sister are visiting with their mother at Iowa, Ill. They will be gone about two weeks.

About 10 friends of M. S. Barber gathered at his home last Tuesday evening and reminded him of his 51st birthday. A pleasant time was reported. Ice cream and cake were served.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burns, Friday, July 23, a daughter.

C. A. Shively, of Monticello, called here Thursday, looking up grand jurors.

Mr. J. O. Carter was a Decatur visitor Tuesday.

Mr. Will L. Carter and John Deal went to Chicago Sunday night with Mr. Carter's and Mr. Whalen's cattle, five loads were shipped.

Miss Jennie Colabard visited Miss Bernice Holcomb this week.

Mr. Will A. Steel, of Belmont, visited F. A. Bowdell last Tuesday night.

William Voorhies, of Decatur, made a business trip to his farms Wednesday.

La Place.

Arthur D. Wilson, the North Water street journalist, came out last Thursday for a visit with "Granny" and so—well, to see some one else.

Miss Maude Johnson, of Lanton, and Miss Dottie Kearney, of Lovington, visited friends at this place Thursday and Friday.

Samuel Fouts, who lives three miles east of here, had the banner field of wheat, from 40 acres there was threshed 1004 bushels. The field was measured.

Dr. W. C. Bowers, who recently moved from this place to Decatur transacted business here last Friday.

A. G. Pasley, of the Decatur monument company was viewing our model village last Friday.

G. W. Stoner was in Decatur one day last week to see his race horse, Nancy Russell, worked. Mr. Stoner expressed himself as being well pleased with her performance.

Ben Wyne and family, of Cerro Gordo, visited George Wagner last Saturday.

Several of our young men attended a ball at Lake City last Saturday night.

Miss Louie Klous returned on last Wednesday from a visit with friends at St. Louis.

Alva Cheney wears a number eighteen smile both week days and Sunday now—his best girl has returned from an extended visit south of Mason and Dixon's line.

Guy Lipscomb, of Decatur, was here last week visiting friends.

Davie Smith, of Mt. Zion, visited relatives here Sunday, he was accompanied home by his nephew, Weeden Greene.

Bob Fulk and Scott Wilson went to Indianapolis on the excursion last Sunday.

B. F. Alexander, who for a time conducted a butcher shop here, sold his property at public sale last Saturday. He had a small crowd and we regret to say a poor sale.

O. Dickson, of Lake City, was here last Saturday.

Alva O. Sayler went to Belmont last Friday to visit his brother, Eldo Sayler.

Mr. Sam Arnold, who lived here several years ago, but late of Kansas, was over from Cerro Gordo, shaking hands with his many friends.

Jake Shuel, of wall pocket and rearing pan fame, was over from Lake City last Saturday. He was accompanied by Steve Hyrum.

Mrs. James Cheney is very sick Tuesday at noon. Her fever was 101.

Sheriff Shively, of Monticello, was here Tuesday serving jurors for the next term of court.

C. E. Overstake was a Decatur visitor Tuesday.

Bear Lake.

Mrs. D. E. Wheeler, who has been visiting friends here, has gone to Harriestown to spend a few weeks.

The five months old daughter of Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Huston, died Sunday evening, August 1, of cholera infantum.

Burial was at Bowling Spring. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Bernard, of Decatur.

Mrs. Charles Lebew, of Bocky, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Westhafer, last week.

Mrs. Ward, of Owatonna, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Pharis.

Grandma Good has been complaining for the past few days.

Will Landis will start next week for Pennsylvania on his bicycle.

Frank Troutman, John Gullik and William Jones were callers here Sunday.

William Baum will soon commence building a neat house on his farm, two and a half miles northwest of here, where, with his family, he will reside when completed.

Quite a number of farmers are delivering their oats here this week. Most of them are in excellent condition.

Orleans.

Mrs. John Irwin and son, Alva, departed last Thursday for Belleville, Mo., where she will visit relatives.

G. M. Bower and family, of near Oakley, visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilson and Miss Mollie Farmer, of Decatur, visited R. Hockaday and family Friday.

Miss Allen, of Sparta, Ill., is visiting her uncle, W. Allen and family.

Miss Ida Stroppe visited Miss Annie Phillips Sunday.

John Kulus, of Argenta, visited A. R. Kulus and family Monday.

Messrs. Bert Foster and Sam McFain visited near Linton over Sunday.

Misses Mayme and Ida visited in Argenta Saturday.

A number from here attended the B. Y. P. U. meeting at Mrs. Bruniger's Sunday afternoon.

Two runaways occurred near Orleans last Thursday evening. One was the team belonging to Rose Adams. Sam McFain was driving the team to the hay bidders, and stopped at the residence of Mrs. Schraders to get a drink. The horses took fright while he was gone and started to run. On a bridge near the house they ran into a buggy. In the buggy was Mrs. Spear and two children. They were thrown out, but none were seriously hurt.

The Silver Lake Glee club gave a lawn social to their many friends at the home of C. W. Hauser one-half mile north of Orleans, Friday night. Although the weather was very threatening a large crowd was in attendance and all seemed to forget the weather in the merriment of the evening. The Mandolin club, of Springfield, furnished music for the occasion. The Silver Lake Glee club also rendered some selections.

Ed McKinley spent Sunday in Warrensburg.

Misses Emma and Isabelle Malone visited their sister, Mrs. George Wilson and family near Argenta Thursday and Friday.

Rev. Shanklin, of Normal, will preach at the Christian church next Sunday morning and evening.

H. B. Kulus of Argenta spent Thursday in Orleans.

Messrs. Pleasant Stein and Curtis White, who started from Petersburg on their bicycles for Denver, have abandoned the trip and are back home.

Havana's school population is 940, a gain of 33 over the census of 1896.

It cost \$750 to support the paupers of Chatsworth township for four months.

Mrs. John Bradley, of Greenville, had a second attack of paralysis last Saturday.

New stone crossings are being put in place in Kenney.

MOTHERS MUST GUIDE.

Should Watch the Physical Development of Their Daughters.

Information They Should Furnish at the Proper Time—Knowledge by Which Suffering May Be Avoided.

Every mother possesses information of vital value to her young daughter. When the girl's thoughts become sluggish, with headache, dizziness, and a disposition to



sleep, pains in back and lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude, and a dislike to the society of children: when she is a mystery to herself and friends, then, her mother should come to her aid.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will, at this time, prepare the system for the coming change. See that she has it, and Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., will cheerfully answer any letters where information is desired. Thousands of women owe their health to her and the Vegetable Compound, and mothers are constantly applying to her for advice regarding their daughters.

HUMOROUS.

—A Woman's Question.—"Tell me, Brown had a dreadful bad fall from her wheel Monday." "Was she dressed for it?"—Chicago Plain Dealer.

—Feminine Evasion.—"Julia, you said you weren't going to wear any more dead birds on your hats." "I know; but this redbird died a natural death."—Chicago Record.

—Resident.—"Think of commencing business, eh? Seems to me you are rather young for a family physician." Young Doctor—"Yes, but—I shall only doctor children at first."—Tit-Bits.

—She.—"They say that the ones who really appreciate the actors are those in the top gallery." He—"I shouldn't wonder. You see, they are high enough to see over the hats."—Yonkers Statesman.

—"You remember Dorrows?" "Do I?" "Well, he came in to-day, and paid me ten dollars he owed me, and I hardly knew him." "Well, I don't wonder. That's not at all like him."—Yonkers Statesman.

—Appropriate.—"You don't bring the chickens out prominently in your picture of farm life," said Roaster. "Um! No," replied the artist; "I've just made them lay figures."—Philadelphia North American.

—Secondhand.—Mrs. Bricabrac—"Oh, mercy, Budget, how could you have broken that precious vase! It was 400 years old." Budget (calmly)—"Oh, if it was an old thing like that, you can take it out as my next week's wages."—Truth.

HABITS AND HEALTH.

People's instincts are usually a Good Guide.

Almost all men have certain "ways" of living which they have found conducive either to health or work, and a very large section of them suffer greatly from a torrent of criticism for those ways. There are men who never need exercise, or, as Mr. Chamberlain says in his case, do much better without it, and if they escape the monetary lecture once a week they are greatly favored by fortune. There are other men, quite numerous, who benefit by exercise in big draughts but not in homeopathic doses, who exert themselves furiously once a week, or during an annual holiday, but for the rest of their time loaf most by bodily torpor. They are not scolded, for, as a rule, they are considered too far gone for that operation to be beneficial, but they are habitually and very openly disbelieved. They are talking nonsense, it is held, on a matter they know nothing about.

There are thousands of Englishmen who are never at peace if they are not warm, and are told by all sincere friends that they are killing themselves with "redding," and tons of thousands who can neither think nor work unless they are cool, and who are pestered by everyone who knows them about wraps.

We used to lecture one old gentleman ourselves because he would ride on omnibuses, wanting, he said, "full air," and the lectures did not stop when at 84 he was more hale than the lecturer at 45. Modern biographers are particularly impervious to reason on this point.

They note at once the smallest departure from the usual in the habits of daily life, as if it were an aberration, never thinking that their victim probably knows himself a great deal better than they can know him, or is obeying an instinct as deeply planted and as beneficial as that which induces a dog occasionally to eat grass. There are men, Scotchmen and Scandinavians, no doubt, mostly, for a few weeks every year, who thirst for it like a Swiss for mountains; and there are thousands of women who would live to 160 if only they could have a month of a year in a place where they were warm all through. To condemn such instincts as self-indulgence, unless they conflict with clear duties, is foolish.—London Spectator.

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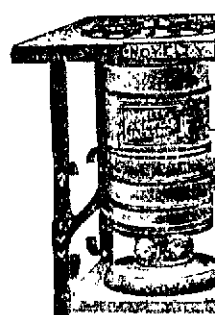
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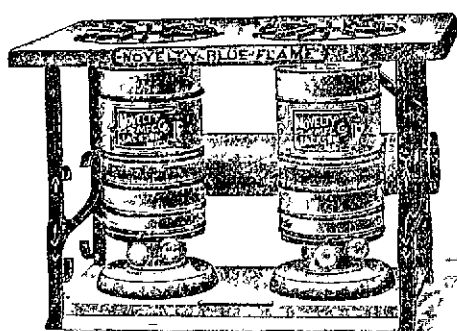
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LOCAL NEWS.

Oratorical contest tonight at the W. C. T. U. rooms.

Vandalia excursion to Peoria Sunday, August 8, train leaves 7 a. m.—5-5t.

Smoke the famous Leda, a fine 10 cent, made by John Weigand. Mch 25 ct. Irwin's Harmless powder will cure headache in 15 minutes.

The members of the Keenwood Tennis club will have an afternoon and evening picnic at Fairlawn park today.

The Grand Opera House cigars made by Johnny Weigand are the best in town. Mch 25-ct.

Inspect those handsome Reed & Son's and Haines pianos at the C. B. Prescott music house. Prices within the reach of all.

The regular meeting of Couer de Leon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will be held this evening.

Smoke the Little J 5 cent cigar, guaranteed to contain no artificial flavor.

The Ladies' Home Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet with Mrs. S. M. Irwin, 404 North William street, Friday afternoon, August 6, at 3:30 o'clock.

Go to Spencer & Lehman's for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps, etc.—J19d-2mos.

Go to Peoria Sunday, August 8 with Goodman's band, via Vandalia line; \$1 for the round trip, train leaves at 7 o'clock a. m.—5-5t.

During the absence of Rev. Jeffers, who left yesterday for a two weeks' visit in Nebraska, his pulpit will be supplied during his absence by Revs. Davis and Kinny.

Go to Spencer & Lehman's for fine and medium grade buggies, surreys, road wagons, and also the old reliable Peter Schuttler and Mohr farm wagons—July 19 d&w2mo

Wabash railroad cheap Sunday excursion to Champaign and Urbana Sunday, August 8, account Twin City Chautauqua. Special train leaves Decatur, 7 10 a. m., arriving at Urbana at 9 a. m. and at Champaign 9 10 a. m., returning leaves Champaign 10 p. m. The Twin City Chautauqua is better than ever this year. Go and spend the day at Crystal Lake park and you will be well repaid.

This evening the Young Ladies' Guild of All Angels church will give a lawn social at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Coover, 1021 East Eldorado street. A literary and musical program will be offered.

"I was run over by a lumber wagon. Did not expect to live. Was terribly bloated. My friends bled me with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, and I was cured. We have great faith in Thomas' Electric Oil." Mrs. Wm. F. Babcock, Norvell, Jackson county Mich. Sold by Bell, the druggist.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace church will give a lawn social to night at the home of Mrs. J. B. King, on North Main street. A mandolin orchestra is to be present and refreshments will be served.

The annual meeting of the Macon County Old Soldier association will be held on Thursday, August 30. The executive committee will meet Saturday afternoon at the court house for the purpose of selecting the place for the reunion and picnic. Various committees will be appointed to carry out the plans for the meeting.

The eleventh annual reunion of the Moultrie County Battalion will be held at Bethany on August 10. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy one day of pleasure with "Our Boys in Blue." There will be plenty of good shade and water. Come one, come all. Among the noted speakers are Rev. W. F. Gilmore, of Decatur, Capt. Ed Harlan, of Marshall, and Judge W. G. Cochran, of Sullivan.

Are you a sufferer from that terrible plague, Itching Piles? Doan's Ointment will bring you instant relief and permanent cure. Get it from Bell, the druggist.

In the circuit court yesterday Attorney W. H. Black filed a bill in behalf of Nellie Thomas, who asks a divorce from her husband, William Thomas. The bill recites that the couple were married on December 15, 1886, and that after 10 years of unpleasantness she was compelled on May 7, 1896, to leave him. She declares that on many occasions she was subjected to brutal treatment and names the times and places that he had beaten her.

The Rev. O. B. Huston officiated at the funeral of the late George M. Rife, which took place Wednesday from the residence of Jerry Miller, west of the city. The attendance was large. The active pallbearers were John Gulick, Oren Gurlick, Fred Troutman, Howard Troutman, Otto Churchman and Dudley Hurst. The honorary pallbearers were Earl Major, Samuel Troutman, Will Wilson, Raymond Lutz, Bert Leedy and Will Leedy. The interment was at Wyokle cemetery.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Principal Features of the Annual Meeting at Sangamon.

The Macon County Sunday school convention will be held at Sangamon on Thursday and Friday, August 13 and 14. The principal features of the convention will be as follows:

Thursday morning:

Address of Welcome—Z. T. Blaine; response, P. P. Laughlin.

"What Are the Needs of Our Schools?"—General discussion, opened by Rev. A. W. Hawkins, followed by others. (a) "How to Meet Them," W. C. Pearce.

"The Bible in the School, How Best to Secure and Use It"—Superintendent E. A. Gastman.

"The Prepared Teacher"—Mrs. W. F. Gilmore.

Thursday afternoon:

"Normal Work in the Sunday School Drill"—J. F. Wicks.

"Sunday School Management"—W. C. Pearce.

"Loyal Army Method, What It Is and What It Does"—A. H. Mills.

"What Good Our Schools Are Doing?"—Discussion, led by Rev. M. Stevenson, N. J. Black, D. Kile, Mrs. J. M. Cray, Mrs. Clara Ritchie.

Thursday evening:

Address—W. C. Pearce.

Address—Dr. W. H. Penhallegon.

Workers' Conference—(a) "Township Conventions, Their Value," A. F. Hopkins, Dell Williams, C. T. Wells, D. M. Riber. (b) "County Conventions, Their Benefits," W. B. Rundle, Rev. W. H. Wilson, Rev. O. B. Huston. (c) "Bible Institutes, Their Practicability," Mrs. Ed. White, Mrs. Charles Query, Rev. Z. T. Hatfield. (d) Written reports from township officers.

"Primary Lesson for Sunday"—Miss Mary E. Nell.

"Primary Teachers, Their Work,"—Miss Minnie McBurney.

"Home Department"—Rev. M. B. Spayd.

Reports and elections.

Friday afternoon:

"The Teachers' Classwork"—George L. Raether, Mrs. Shultz.

"Duty of Church Members to the School"—George Johnston.

"Teachers' Meetings"—W. C. Pearce.

"The Use of the Blackboard in the School"—Mrs. J. D. Braden, T. B. Ewing.

Seven Sent Up

Justice Provost had six young fellows before him on charges of vagrancy and general nuisance. The first, O. T. Murphy, was brought in by Somerville and was sent to jail for 30 days. The other five had been loafing about the corner of Church street and the Wabash railroad and were captured in Parke's coal shed by the officers. C. H. Straus was fined \$3 and costs on a special charge and all were given 15 days each in the county jail.

When arraigned one of their number explained that they were on their way to cut broom corn at Mattoon. Justice Provost smiled broadly for he knew that broom corn is not ready to cut. He explained that they could stay in jail 15 days, until the crop was ready to cut.

The others were Charles Wilcox, Will Bennett and Theodore Waltz.

The Crawshaw case set for Justice Smith's court yesterday afternoon, was continued again for 10 days, after considerable legal argument on the part of the Attorneys Wilson for the state and Walters for the defendant.

Married at Their Home.

Charles C. Randolph, real estate dealer, and Miss Sophia G. Hutchinson, who has been a resident of Decatur three years, were married last evening at 8 o'clock at their newly furnished home, corner of South Franklin and Washington streets.

Rev. W. H. Penhallegon performed the ceremony. Attorney T. E. Drew and Miss Canette Hutchinson, sister of the bride, were the attendants. A number of friends were present. Mrs. J. F. Wilkinson, of Chicago, sister of the groom, and her daughter were present.

Camp "Ghophloperous"

The above is the name for a camp which will be instituted by a number of young men next week on the Sangamon river, about 15 miles northeast of the city on Betzer's farm. They will start at 8 o'clock on Monday morning and will remain in camp all week. Those in the party will be Alva Johnson, Charles Imboden, Will Conradt, Alfred Diller, Ben Imboden, Elre Braden and Charles Record. Thursday of next week will be visitors' day and all will come with baskets of dinner for the occasion.

A "Bobby" Picnic.

Some of the society people of the city enjoyed a rather unique picnic one day this week, in that it was called a "Bobby" picnic. "Bobby" picnics are not a common thing and indeed cannot be held by everyone at all times. They can only be held when the same conditions are true as were in this case, that the young men of the party must all have "Bobby" for their first name. The affair was quite enjoyable despite the fact that all the male attendants answered to the same name.

Varied Experiences.

Reginald Augustine went to Maroa yesterday and saw many interesting things while en route and in the city. On the way up there a house just west of Emery was struck by lightning and he saw it wrapped in flames. The owner of the house and the damages were not learned. At Maroa he saw the noted "high dive" by an actor in La Pearl's show and pronounced it a *staring feat*.

PASSED AWAY.

Death of John D. Henkle After a Long Period of Illness.

MEMBER OF AN OLD DECATUR FAMILY

Was for Many Years a Traveling Salesman—Well Known in Commercial Circles—Native of Springfield.

John D. Henkle is dead. He passed away last evening at 6:30 o'clock, as if in sleep, at the family home, 835 East North street, in the presence of his family. His death was not unexpected. It was known that he could not survive many hours, and while his devoted wife and his loving sister and brother, who were with him at the last, and the children, were ready to administer to his comfort, all realized that the end was quite near. Death came rather suddenly and the passing away was peaceful and without a struggle. Mr. Henkle had a severe spell of illness nine years ago, when he was afflicted with a carbuncle. Since then he had never been in good health. Last January he became ill again and was confined to his home. Diabetes was the immediate cause of death, but through all his illness the deceased was patient and did what he could by his genial nature to lighten the task of those who were daily looking after his comfort. He was conscious almost to the last moment and recognized familiar faces.

John Dickey Henkle was a son of the late Enos M. Henkle, was born at Springfield, May 29, 1839, and was aged 58 years, two months and five days. In 1859 he married Sarah E. Winholtz at the family home in Decatur and in 1870 he moved to Decatur. The wife and four children survive. The children are W. E. Henkle, of Decatur; Louis R. Henkle, who is in business at Wyanahobie, Texas; Mrs. Sherman McClelland and Miss Elizabeth Henkle, of Decatur. There are three brothers, Albert E. Henkle, of Salina, Kan.; Thomas C. Henkle, of Springfield, and Will C. Henkle, of Chicago, also a sister, Mrs. Samuel E. Prather of Springfield. Thomas Henkle and Mrs. Prather were with their brother when he fell asleep.

The deceased had been an active man all his life. At an early day he was associated with his father in the management of a paper mill on East Main street, this city. Later he was in the hardware business with F. J. Taylor on Water street, and subsequently he had a large interest in an extensive paper mill plant at Riverton, which unfortunately was destroyed by fire. After that catastrophe Mr. Henkle became a commercial traveler and followed that occupation until he became too ill to longer attend to the duties of the position.

John Henkle had hosts of fast personal friends throughout the state. Wherever he went he was always greeted cordially. He was a man of the sunniest nature, was considerate of others and ever ready with a pleasing story or joke. He was honorable and upright in all his dealings with a man, and in his home he was a model husband and father. He was a charter member of Stapp's Chapel Methodist church now Grace M. E. church, was a Mason and was a member of the Commercial Travelers' association.

The funeral will be held at the family residence on Friday, August 6, at 4 p. m. Rev. W. E. Gilmore, of Grace M. E. church will conduct the services, assisted by Rev. J. C. Rapp, of the German M. L. church.

Concerts by the Band

The people will be gratified to learn that a movement is under way to arrange for a series of six or more open air concerts to be given by Goodman's band this summer, two on Lincoln square and two in Central park, the other two to be given somewhere near the Union depot, all for the entertainment of the public. The band numbers over 30 musicians and as they have a lot of new music with which they have become familiar by frequent rehearsals at the hall their appearance again in concerts will be a special treat. Decatur has always given substantial encouragement to our home band, and in this new enterprise the people will respond again liberally and make the concerts possible.

The band is at Old Stonington today playing for the picnic. It will go to Peoria on Sunday to assist the band at that city at the musicians' picnic. It is suggested that Goodman's band should arrange for a picnic at home. The matter is under consideration.

A Large Young Man.

Mr. Wayne Nelson, of Lithfield, who with his mother, is the guest of W. F. Neider in the city, is a young man of large size and considering his age his growth is something wonderful. He is 14 years of age and is 6 feet 3 inches in height and weighs over two hundred pounds. He does not appear so much out of the ordinary because of his height, which is the more striking considering his youth.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles Frank, Decatur, 43.

Mrs. Karoline Bialycki, Decatur, 46.

THE PECKS AND ATTERS.

Will Hold a Mammoth Picnic on Wednesday, August 25.

Cerro Gordo New Era: A meeting of the representatives of the Peck and Atter families was held Monday evening to arrange for the big reunion and picnic. This year the family reunion will take the form of a big picnic and will be held at Pecks-Ford-on-the-Sangamon on Wednesday, August 25. It is the intention to make this one of the biggest picnics of the season, and all friends of either of the families are invited to come to the best picnic ground along the Sangamon and have a pleasant day.

The Genuine Fight Pictures.

Contrary to any possible expectation which the general public might have in relation to the Veriscope pictures of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest the so-called sporting element in the three great cities of the country where these pictures are being exhibited, is decidedly in the minority. The audience at the Academy of Music, New York, the Boston Theater Boston and the Grand Opera House Chicago, are not only testing the capacity of the theaters mentioned but are made up almost exclusively of the best class of theater-goers, fully one-third being of the gentler sex. The Veriscope, with its pictures of the great contest, will be seen at the Powers' Grand next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 9, 10 and 11. It is well to state that these are the only genuine pictures of the happenings at Carson City on March 17th last. They are the exclusive property of the Veriscope company and they are fully protected by copyright. There are thrown upon the screen one hundred and forty three thousand and seven separate and distinct pictures, which occupy a space of two miles and one-third of film. The coming engagement of the Veriscope and pictures is certainly a most interesting event. The Veriscope and the pictures make a complete evening's entertainment, running two hours and ten minutes.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Will Meet Next Week

The Patriotic Daughters of America will not hold their meeting tomorrow night at the hall in the Home block. That right belongs to another organization. The Daughters will not meet until the following Friday night, August 13, and thereafter on the second and fourth Friday nights of each month.

All Day Picnic

The Sunday school of the First M. E. church is enjoying an all day picnic at Fairlawn park today. The occasion is the annual outing of the school and all its members, young and old, are enjoying a day of the greatest amusement on the green lawns of the popular park.

Mormons at Oak Grove School House.

The meetings at Oak Grove school house began Sunday August 1, with good attendance and interest. All are welcome. Literature free. Meetings to continue at 7:30 p. m. of each day until further notice.

Mat's Fine.

In the county court Mat Jones, a notorious character, pleaded guilty to maintaining a disorderly house, and was fined \$150 and costs.

Sales of Real Estate

Leonard J. Howard to L. H. Shelley, the north half of lot 2 in block 2 in H. Robinson's addition to Decatur, \$9500.

The funeral of Mrs. Martha Dieter will be held at 5 o'clock this afternoon from the Edward Street Christian church. Rev. Marion Stevenson will conduct the services and the interment will be at Greenwood.

DR. PRICE'S



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THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1897.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—Illinois: Continued fair tonight and Friday; northeast winds.

One Week of the Dingley Act.

The St. Louis Globe Democrat: It is something more than a mere coincidence that the first week of the operation of the Dingley act was the best business week, measured by the total of bank transactions, which the country has had for several years. In the country as a whole the gain in clearings last week, as compared with the same time in 1896, was 28.4 per cent. All the cities of 200,000 inhabitants or over showed increases for the week, and most of those below that line also did. As there was a falling off in most of the weeks in the early months of the year, and only a slight gain in any of them in which there was any increase at all, last week's immense increase is encouraging and significant.

But the expansion in business of the banks is not the only evidence which the week brought that the financial tide had turned. Reports during the week showed that in almost all the manufacturing states mills which had been idle for months or years past were starting up, and other mills which were running on reduced time or with a reduced number of employees were increasing their hours of work or their force. Wages, too, in several industries were advanced during the week, or notices were given of advances to take place within a few days. Railroad earnings not only show gains over last year, but are making a better exhibit now than they did a month or two ago. Speculative stocks and commodities of all sorts, except sugar shares and silver, were stronger last week than they were in the previous week.

Of course the actual operation of the new tariff for the week is not the direct or sole cause of the great and general business improvement. The large increase in many of the important crops, especially in that of wheat, accounts for part of the advance in railroad stocks and for the increase in the payment of mortgages in the farming districts now under way. This expansion in yield, and the demand for wheat in Europe caused by the general shortage in the outside world, which keeps prices up, has, through the increase in purchases which the farmers of the country are making, something to do with the starting of the idle mills. The new tariff, however, has a greater influence here. Not only has the enactment of the Dingley law brought certainty as to the sort of a tariff which the country will have for four or five years at least, but, in addition to the certainty, it has removed all danger of subsequent treasury deficits, and has furnished adequate protection to the industries which were denied it by the Wilson act. Here is where the new tariff's beneficent influence reveals itself. July 31, 1897, the time of the enactment of the Dingley law, may be as important a date mark in showing the starting point of the business rally from the effects of the panic of 1893, as January 1, 1879, the day of the resumption of gold payments by the government, was in showing the first decisive and permanent revival from the effects of the convulsion of 1873.

Everybody knows that the increase in the public debt contracted by the Democratic party will not and cannot be paid in a day or a week, or a month or a year. There is \$289,000,000 of it. Yet there are people so unreasonable, some so dishonest, and some so ignorant, as to assume the Republican party should restore the prosperity of 1893 in a few days. The Republican party was not responsible for tearing down our trade and prosperity. The party stood, as a prophet of old, and warned the people against the false theories of Democracy, stating they would bring ruin to American industries and prostration to business and soup houses to labor. The answer to these warnings were that we were too rich and great, as a nation, to be injured by a change in our tariff system; that the tariff had nothing to do with wages; that our mechanics and skilled workmen could compete with the world without protection. But these answers all proved delusive and are now mere rubbish. Republicans were responsible for none of these errors and now, after four years of imbecility, in high places and want in our homes, the party has been called upon to restore prosperity. The Republicans have been in power only five months and everywhere the story is told that everything is moving right, business reviving and that prosperity is assured.

The queer feature of the miners strike is that in some localities the operators are with the strikers and in other localities the strikers are with the operators. This is accounted for by the fact that a war for market for coal is involved in the strike.

The new tariff on coal will soon settle that feature of the strike by restoring the New England market to the Virginia miners, by putting a check to the importation of Nova Scotia coal.

The new tariff law admits diamonds free just as the McKinley law did. But the diamonds admitted free are diamonds in the rough, the object being to promote the industry of cutting diamonds in this country. Cut diamonds under the new law as under the McKinley law, must pay a duty. This is the same principle by which the Republicans build up other industries.

Senator Morgan says the reason the senate did not ratify the Hawaiian treaty during the special session was that we did not have sufficient navy at Honolulu for a crisis. Grant took Vicksburg by taking the opposite view. Grant said that, had he taken time to get ready the enemy would have been getting ready at the same time.

The Cuban insurgents see to an accommodating sort of people. The rainy season being on, which makes campaigning difficult for Weyler, they have brought themselves right up to Havana, where Weyler can have them by going out to fetch them in, but he don't want to go out.

England announces that she has annexed the Solomon Islands and Palmyra Island. We have announced that we intend to annex Hawaii, and are patiently listening to a lot of kicks from Japan.

Where is the fellow who was certain that an ounce of silver always had the equivalent of a bushel of wheat? All other cheap money theories are equally erroneous.

In the success of the Republican party the country loses the service of the Democratic party, but the American sheep is put on his feet again, which is a clean gain to the country.

William M. Springer will probably be a candidate for renomination for congress in this district.

THE OHIO DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

Its Assertions and Arguments Considered and Answered in Six Parts.

PART III.

"We declare that the act of 1873 * * * resulted in an appreciation of gold and a corresponding fall in prices." (Platform.)

Since it is shown from official statistics that there has been no appreciation of gold but on the contrary a vast increase in its production and coinage and an increase in the other classes of money of the world, an increase much more rapid than that of the population, the cause of the fall in prices of commodities must be looked for elsewhere. This fall in prices is due to the enormous increase in production and to the reduced cost of producing, and transporting the products of the farm, factory, forest and mine. Senator Peffer, in his report to the senate in 1894 on the cause of the fall in agricultural prices, said: "In Kansas it appears from the report of the secretary of the state board of agriculture that it costs 50 cents to raise a bushel of wheat, * * * in Pennsylvania the average cost of producing a bushel of wheat is about 65 cents. * * * Wheat in India costs but about 15 cents a bushel on the farm, 12 cents more puts it aboard ship and 25 cents additional lands it on the wharves in Liverpool. This fifty-cent wheat from India competes (in our best market England) with wheat on American farms at an average cost of 60 cents per bushel. * * * Wages of India farm hands run from 6 to 10 cents of our money per day." The same report shows that the cost of producing wheat on the great farms of California and the Dakotas is less than half the average cost in the Central Mississippi valley, while similar conditions prevail in Argentina and Australia, which through the extremely low ocean freights are also competitors with us in all the markets of the world. The reduced cost of agricultural products, due to the combination of low freights and the use of machinery finds a parallel in the reduced cost of manufacturing in all lines through similar causes, and also in the reduction in the cost of mining and the production of the precious metals, which thus supply the money of the world at a greatly reduced cost of that prime measure of value, labor.

"We declare that the act of 1873 * * * has resulted in * * * a heavy increase in the burdens of taxation." (Platform.) The increase in the burdens of federal taxation are mainly due to the increase in expenditures for pensions, public buildings and river and harbor improvements, and any party which would specifically declare against a continuation of these would quickly find itself repudiated by the people.

"We declare that the act of 1873 * * * has resulted in * * * a heavy increase in the burdens of taxation." (Platform.)

CEMENT, LIME, COAL.

* has resulted in * * * a heavy increase in the burdens of all debts, public and private." (Platform.)

The census figures show that the increase in debts since 1873 has been, in a very large share of the cases, for the purpose of homes or the improvement of farms, and that the sections in which this increase in mortgage indebtedness has been greatest, have shown as a result the greatest activity and the greatest increase in actual wealth and genuine prosperity.

"We declare that the act of 1873 * * * resulted in * * * the enrichment of the money lending class at home and abroad." (Platform.)

The money lending class can only "grow rich" by the interest which it receives for money loaned, and everybody knows that the rates of interest have greatly fallen since 1873 and that the opportunity for enrichment by this means must consequently have been correspondingly reduced. The usurious rates of interest which were possible in many sections of the country prior to 1873 are now absolutely prohibited by state legislation.

"We declare that the act of 1873 * * * resulted in * * * the prostration of industry and the impoverishment of the people." (Platform.)

Industry was not "prostrated" or the people "impoverished" until the success of the Democratic party at the polls in 1892, and its free trade legislation which followed paralyzed industry in the United States and transformed its communities of busy workmen into idlers, thus bringing "prostration of industry and impoverishment of the people." There was never greater prosperity in the United States or any other country than that of the years immediately preceding the Democratic success of 1892, and never greater "prostration of industry and impoverishment of the people" than that which followed that Democratic success. It is because of the "prostration of industry and impoverishment of the people" through the operations of the Democratic party that its leaders now abandon their time-honored principles and ask restoration to power on a currency proposition which has been discarded by the most progressive nations of the world and is being rejected by others as rapidly as possible.

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State Fair Privileges.

The undersigned will sell on the State Fair Grounds, Springfield, at auction, on Thursday Morning, August 12th, at 10 o'clock, the dining hall, booth and other privileges for the State Fair, Sept. 27-Oct. 2, 1897. Terms will be announced at the sale.

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A stock company has been formed at Weldon to build a town hall. The capital is \$8000.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS In the Circuit Court of Macon County.

Joseph M. Clokey, Complainant, vs. Sarah A. Cunningham, Defendant—in Chancery; No. 15233.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county in the State of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June Term of said court A. D. 1897, J. James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Saturday, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1897,

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Something to Depend On.
Mr. James Jones, of the Drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at the drug stores of J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

Blackberries have been selling at 10 cents a gallon at Mackinaw and, on account of the dealers "huckin' agin" each other, the price one day went down to 5 cents per gallon.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—It is a terrible accident to be burned or scalded; but the pain and agony and frightful disfigurements can be quickly overcome without leaving a scar by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A. J. Stoner & Son, Armstrong Bros. and N. L. Krone.

Sick headache can be quickly and completely overcome by using the famous little pills known as "DeWitt's Little Early Risers." A. J. Stoner & Son, Armstrong Bros. and N. L. Krone.

A fire at Flanagan last week destroyed the store building occupied by N. Friedman. The stock it is claimed was valued at \$20,000 and was insured for \$12,500. The building was insured also.

Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant; before the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough Cure is easy to take and will do what its name implies. A. J. Stoner & Son, Armstrong Bros. and N. L. Krone.

Minor has a new engine for the water works. It is of 10 horse power and cost \$520. Quigg, Tanner & Co. have bought one of the same kind for their elevator at Vandalla, and also one for their Hopdale elevator.

You Can Depend On It
that Foley's Colic Cure is an instant relief for colic, summer complaint, cholera morbus, diarrhoea, bloody flux, chronic diarrhoea, cholera infantum, bilious colic, painter's colic and all bowel complaints. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

The Tallula Coal company has sold forty loads of slack which, heretofore, has been considered worthless. This slack gives from 50 to 60 per cent of the heat that coal would.

"They are dandies," said Thos. Bowers, of the Crockett, Texas, Enterprise, while writing about DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for sick headache and disorders of the stomach and liver. A. J. Stoner & Son, Armstrong Bros. and N. L. Krone.

William Rowe, an old resident of Mahomet, who has been in poor health for some time past, has received notification of the increase of his pension from \$17 to \$20 per month.

When You Take Your Vacation the most necessary article to have with you (after your pocket-book) is a bottle of Foley's Colic Cure. It is an absolute prevention or cure of all derangements of the bowels caused by a change of water. You are likely to need it. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

Asa Hicks, of Little Mackinaw township, Tazewell county, has 200 pounds of bees and has taken out over 1000 pounds of honey. This has been a good season for bees and honey.

YOU ought to know that when suffering from any kidney trouble that a safe, sure remedy is Foley's Kidney Cure. Guaranteed or money refunded. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

W. H. Roberts and Thompson Bros., of Piper City, have a private gas plant costing \$750, with which their two big stores are lighted.

The Most Fatal Disease.
It is not generally known that more adults die of kidney trouble than any other disease. When the first symptoms of this disease appear, no time should be lost in taking Foley's Kidney Cure, which is guaranteed or money refunded. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

Last Wednesday night someone stole a road wagon and set of single harness from Mr. W. H. Bräwner, of Dillon township Tazewell county.

Don't thin your blood with sassafras or poison it with blue mass; but aid Nature by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and stomach and liver troubles. They are purely vegetable. A. J. Stoner & Son, Armstrong Bros. and N. L. Krone.

A stock company has been formed at Weldon to build a town hall. The capital is \$5000.

W. B. Johnson, Newark, O., says: "One Minute Cough Cure saved my only child from dying by croup." It has saved thousands of others suffering from croup, pneumonia, bronchitis and other serious throat and lung troubles. A. J. Stoner & Son, Armstrong Bros. and N. L. Krone.

L. D. Lockwood, of Ludlow, has been granted a pension of \$5 per month with back pay from 1893.

To Consumptives.
As an honest remedy, Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

G. W. Horre has been appointed postmaster at Flanagan.

The Illinois Central is building new stock yards at Ludlow.

BRIGANDAGE IN GREECE.

One of the Deplorable Results of the Turkish War.

Increase of Lawlessness on the Frontier—Rich Merchants Held for Ransom by Bandits.

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One of the most lamentable consequences of the disastrous appeal to arms recently made by Greece is the sudden outcropping of lawlessness and brigandage in the north, due to the unsettled condition there. It is reported from Athens that several rich merchants from Thessalian towns, who fled to the mountains to escape the Turks, are held for ransom by bandits. If they had stuck to their shops and trusted to the moderation of the Turks they would have been all right, but they could hardly escape being "rattled" when the entire province was stampeded by panic flight.

The increase of lawlessness is precisely what might have been predicted by one knowing the habits of the people. Brigandage is in the blood along the frontier, and it has never been altogether suppressed. It is true that in Greece, as in Italy, there have been few recent attacks upon travelers. It was in 1870 that brigands made a daring raid upon tourists about six miles from Athens as the crowd fled, and finally murdered an Italian and three Englishmen because of some difficulty about the ransom. Nothing of consequence has been attempted against travelers since. Tourists usually go in parties and armed. They are invariably accompanied by horse-boys and generally by an armed dragoon, so that a small band of road agents might hesitate about attacking them. A more powerful incentive to letting travelers alone, however, is the fact that a raid upon foreigners always causes a sensation and leads to more strenuous attempts to break up the business. It is safer in Thessaly, as in Sicily, to prey upon natives, about whose misfortunes the outside world cares little.

A consul of the United States once got into serious difficulty by reporting

tures in the gallery in Athens. Odysseus was a brigand, who had been deputed by Ali Pasha to put down the bandits; he did it by enrolling them under his own banner. The late Capt. Trelawney—an English associate of Byron—who married Odysseus' daughter, described the bandit's fortress in terms that might be used to-day in speaking of some of the mountain strongholds to which rich merchants may have been taken.

"In one of the precipices of Mt. Par-nassus," he says, "there is a cavern, at an elevation of 1,000 feet above the plain. This cavern Odysseus had, with great ingenuity, managed to ascend and convert into a place of safety for his family and effects during the war. The only access to it was by ladders bolted to the rock. The first ladder, 45 or 50 feet in length, was placed against the face of the rock and steadied by braces; a second, resting on a projecting crag, crossed the first; and a third, lighter and shorter, stood on its heel on a natural shelf in the fractured stone. This third ladder led to a trap door, the bolts and bars of which being removed, you entered a vaulted guardroom, pierced with lancet holes for musketry. This opened on a broad terrace, 80 feet in length, screened by a substantial parapet wall, breast high, with embrasures mounted with cannon." Within were storerooms and magazines, and a never-failing cold spring trickling down from sources among the eternal snows.

Doubtless none of the modern brigands have quite such complete and commodious quarters as this redoubtable freebooter, but they still rely upon withdrawal to inaccessible nooks of the mountains where they are supplied with food by the tributary toilers of the plain. Modern cannon could batter down any of their defenses, but modern cannon can neither shoot around corners nor be taken up rough mountain slides without some trouble. It is easier to let the bandit alone or catch them by artifice.

In the present lawless state of the occupied province, young men in whose hands guns have been placed are joining the bandits in considerable numbers. There isn't much else that they can do. The practice of waging war by "irregulars," too, is reacting against



GREEK BRIGANDS OF TO-DAY ESCORTING A PRISONER TO A MOUNTAIN STRONGHOLD.

cases of Sicilian brigandage to our state department. The account was published in the consular reports, and there was trouble at once. The consul had to leave Sicily, but brigandage stayed. It is there yet, as it is and always has been in Thessaly.

The proximity of Thessaly to the border is one reason why bandits have continued to thrive there, while in the Peloponnese they have ceased operations entirely. It is so easy to slip across the frontier and return laden with booty from a town on the other side, and perhaps a prisoner or two, that both Turks and Greeks have continued the practice; and this is one reason for the bitterness displayed by the Turkish Albanians against their blood-brothers the Greek Albanians in the recent war.

Medieval ways of looking at things still prevail in Greece. Men often carry guns when they go abroad, in the wilder parts. The courier with whom I traveled in Greece last February carried a murderous-looking sheath knife. I asked him why he did not use a revolver instead, but he said he was afraid to handle one, though he had served his time in the army. Towns are placed for defense against attack, not for convenience, exactly as they were 2,000 years ago. One of the largest villages in southern Greece is Delphi, which lies away up among the snowy hills, so hidden from the main road through the valley that during the war of liberation two or three thousand Greeks hid there and were never found by the enemy. Convents are like forts. I stopped one night at the great convent of the Megaspelaeon, which is perched 1,200 feet above the valley, built into a cave in the face of a sheer cliff. This strong point was never captured by the Turks in 1824-27. 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with 9-inch Decorated Globe and Duplex Burner? The actual retail value, complete, is \$15.00. It was placed on sale in our front show window July 28th, and has been reduced \$1.00 each day. This being Thursday, August 5th, would make the price \$8.00. If the lamp is not sold today, tomorrow it will be \$1.00 less. This show window sale of ours has been progressing for several weeks. I have sold 32 Watches and 17 Dinner Sets to some of the best people in this city and surrounding country. These goods have all been sold by reducing them \$1.00 each day, and they are all guaranteed to be exactly as represented.

If you will watch our window you will surely find a great many bargains, as I am very determined to dispose of a sufficient amount of Otto E. Curtis & Bro.'s stock of goods by the first of March next year, to enable me to settle up the partnership business. I realize the fact that it is impossible to dispose of a stock of jewelry and fine china in the two years that the law allows, without loss, and I, the surviving partner, am willing to take the loss and take it pleasantly, but I must dispose of the goods.

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We have a nice line of NEW STYLES in Shirt Waists. Will sell very reasonable. Call and see them.

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Then come in and get a box of Mexican Roach Food. We guarantee it to kill all the Roaches and Water Bugs in your house. Money refunded if it doesn't do it.

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Cor. Main and Water Sts.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

O. O. F.—Regular Conventions of Canton No. 19, P. M., this (Thursday) night, at 8 o'clock. Three candidates to be initiated into service. Chevaliers appear in festive dress. By order of R. H. SCHROEDER, Com. CHARLES M. BONDERS, Clerk.

LOCAL NEWS.

Trunks, 15 cents. Davis' 10 cent delivery, 564 N. Water.

Soap, cut price 15 cents a box at Irwin's drug store.

Smoke the Little J., 5-cent cigar, made by Jacob Keck.

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. June 23-dtf

You can get the genuine dead shot fly paper at Irwin's.

Try the new drink Phospho Iron Tonic, at Irwin's fountain.

No picnic a success unless fry chickens for same are furnished by Pearl Oyster and Fish Co. Telephone 544—4-dtf

Skin and blood diseases, causing all sorts of dire disasters to human happiness are easily and quickly cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Sold by Bell, the druggist.

If you want the best plastering done on short notice call up 538, new 'phone. We also have the best cement for sidewalks in the city. Decatur Hard Plaster Co.—30-d tf

The funeral of the late Mrs. Tyler is in progress this afternoon at the Edward Street church, conducted by Rev. Marion Stevenson. The interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

The Decatur Dairy, Cooper & Fridley, corner of West Main and Lincoln squares, have moved four doors north, next to Singleton's restaurant, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders for dairy products.—3-dtf

For your uncle, aunt or cousin Friday dinner, eat, trout, bass, white pickled or anything else that can be caught beneath the dark and turbulent waves. Pearl Oyster and Fish Co. Telephone 544—4-dtf

"I always recommend Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in cases of summer complaints and have never known it to fail. You may use my name." C. A. West, Druggist, Rainsborough, O. Sold by Bell, the druggist.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Grace M. E. church will give a lawn social at the residence of Mrs. John King, North Main street, Thursday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served, and excellent music will be furnished.

The Goodman band goes to Peoria Sunday, August 8, to attend the second annual picnic of the National League of Musicians at Central park. A grand concert of 100 pieces will be given in the afternoon. The Vandalla line will run an excursion to Peoria on that date; train leaves 7 a. m.—5 dt

Even now some people who visit the new public library rooms on afternoons and evenings when the attendance is extra large are predicting that soon the rooms will have to be enlarged to accommodate the crowds. There is no cooler place in the city on a hot day or evening than the library rooms and people who go there find lots of comfort without having to climb stairways.

Members of the local board of fire commissioners are engaged in the work of revising and amending the rules of the board for the government of the members of the fire department and the management of the apparatus. The work has not been completed. The running of fire apparatus abreast through the streets to a fire is to be stopped, and all firemen in the service will be required to see that their personal bills are settled promptly.

Many complaints were lodged with Alderman Bold today about the obstructions of certain sidewalks in the fourth ward. It is stated that the hedge about the premises of B. H. Casell needs trimming so that the people can get past without interference. They are tired walking around on the outer edge of the walk. Mr. Bold called the attention of the city marshal to the trouble and directed that the matter be attended to at once. The hedge will have to be trimmed.

New Music Store. We are open for business with a line of new pianos and organs, direct from our factories. We are offering special inducements and call your attention to our unequalled line of pianos, comprising Conover, Schubert, Kingsbury and Wellington. You can be suited in tone, case, price and terms. Old instruments taken in exchange. Expert tuning and repairing done. Our organs are unrivaled. Chicago Cottage Organ Co., R. C. Wood, Mgr. 106 E. William st., old Library block.—5 dt

BOUGHT TWO PAPERS.

Frank H. Hall Invents in a Newspaper Plant at Waukegan.

Frank H. Hall, formerly of Decatur, and former proprietor of the Evening News and Courier at Kenosha, Wis., has just closed a deal with State Senator R. W. Coon, of Waukegan, Ill., by which he will come into possession of the Waukegan Daily Herald and the Weekly Gazette, Monday, August 23. It is understood that Senator Coon is about to retire from active business life. No statement concerning the consideration can be secured. Mr. Hall was in the city a few days ago visiting his brother, Will L. Hall and John A. Swearingin and wife.

Peace.

Last night there was a large attendance at the regular prayer service at the Christian Tabernacle, conducted by the Rev. Claire Youell. The subject of the evening talk was peace. In the course of the address the minister said: "The permanent peace of Europe can only be purchased by war. Mahomet's kingdom is founded in blood, is maintained by massacres; it has been perpetuated by the sword, by the sword it will perish. This demon must be fought with fire; it knows no other argument. The powers may cry peace! peace! Diplomacy may avert the final crash; duplicity for a while may be on top, but God will yet avenge the slaughtered saints of Armenia. Armageddon must break before the millennium dawns. How can sinners have peace?—How can saints have peace? They must be strong in the Lord, and in the strength of His might put on the whole armor of God, that they may be able to stand against the will of the devil. For our wrestling is not against flesh and blood, but against the principalities, against the powers, against the world rulers of this darkness; against the spiritual hosts of wickedness in heavenly places. Wherefore take up the whole armor of God that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all to stand. Eternal peace is bought by incessant warfare against the world, the flesh and the devil. No other peace is worth having. May we all fight the good fight of faith, and then enter into the joys of the Lord at his right hand, where there is peace for evermore."

Bitten by a Mad Dog.

E. D. Batsholder and son of Harris-town, took the train here today for Chicago, where they will be treated at the Pastour Institute for the bite of a dog, which was supposed to be mad. The dog was owned by Mr. Batsholder and the accident occurred yesterday, both father and son were bitten by the animal. They came to Dr. Barnes, of this city, who advised them to go to the Pastour Institute where they could be more effectively treated for the terrible disease which so dangerously threatens them. They went today. The Institute is one of great prominence for its cures of this dreaded disease and the successful cure of another patient from Decatur, who went there recently, has impressed others with its value.

Wabash Wheelmen Race To-Night.

The members of the Wabash club will engage in another wheel race tonight at the Trotting park. The starters in the two mile handicap will be as follows: Rogers, scratch. Hay, 800 yards. Putin, 325 yards. Kennedy, 400 yards. Wisner, 425 yards. Badenhausen, 475 yards. Carter, 550 yards. Schilling, 600 yards. Vaughan, 675 yards. Houston, 750 yards. Macmasters, 850 yards. Boettger, 900 yards. Mitchell, 925 yards.

A Tennis Tournament.

A number of the more enthusiastic tennis players in the city will meet at the office of Attorney Baldwin in the Mill kin building on next Monday night and consider plans for holding a tennis tournament in this city some time this fall. It is expected to have players from outside towns enter the contest, and if they do not desire to, then the home players will have a tournament among themselves to decide who the champions are. Such an affair would doubtless arouse much interest and enthusiasm among the large number of devotees of the game in this city.

The New Firm

Will take charge of this business September 1, 1897, and from now on till the above date we will sell all tennis goods and bicycle clothing at cost, and all fishing tackle, hunting coats, base ball goods and sweaters at a reduction of 25 per cent. Don't overlook this chance. H. Mueller Gun Co. 134 E. Prairie street.—3-dtf

Cigars. Cigars.

Havanettes.....100 for \$1.75
Little Dians.....100 for \$1.50
5 for .10

Special prices to the trade. For sale at L. CHODAT'S NEWS HOUSE.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky or other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents and \$1 per bottle at the drug stores of J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

A DEPOT SCENE.

Mrs. Luther Dodson With Her Baby Attempts to Leave Her Husband.

WANTED TO GO AWAY TO BUFFALO.

Mr. Dodson Begged His Wife Not to Go, and Friends Interposed in His Behalf—Story of Hard Times.

The young wife of Luther Dodson tried to leave him this morning and with her baby go to some other place, alleging that they could live together no longer because of his being unable to provide for the family. With her little baby she left the house this morning and when he came home and found her not he hurried to the depot, where she was about to depart. After much persuasion and talk she finally consented to return and try again, somehow or other, to make out a living along with her husband in the world.

It is a sad case of disappointment, poverty and a struggle for the necessities of life. The domestic relations between them were always pleasant and the young wife was not leaving on that account. Dodson seems to be a young man who tries his very best to do what is right and provide for the wife and child, but for a long time luck has been against him. He has had no work and every day the family larder grew more empty and the wolf came nearer the door. It was a continual fight for existence and though both husband and wife did their best affairs steadily grew worse. The husband did washing and walked to other towns to seek work, but all to no purpose. At last the wife thought that the family could exist in that state no longer and they had better separate. She conceived a plan but evidently did not acquaint her husband with her intentions for while he was absent from his home this morning, she sold all her bedroom furniture for \$3.50 and taking the money and some things, together with her baby, which was sick, she left her home to return no more. She went to the depot and even had her box checked to Buffalo, Ill., where she had determined to go. Meanwhile the husband came home and finding furniture, wife and baby gone, decided that they were gone for good. He immediately went to the depot to make inquiries and found them there nearly ready to start.

Then came a long argument and a course of pleading before she could be induced to reconsider her intentions. An agreement was very hard to reach. Finally in despair the young man asked the advice of Officer Ed Leach, who proceeded to give the woman some very good counsel. He urged her to stay with her husband and until things looked bright again and not to take the little child and leave him in that manner and plainly showed the evil of her course. The talk of the officer had considerable weight and helped greatly to unite the husband and wife again. It was an affecting scene when the husband stood pleading with his wife to return, while she was crying and trying to make things right holding her little baby all dressed in white with a pretty white cap on its head and innocent of the pain and trouble now distracting its father and mother. Finally the wife decided to remain and with her husband and her little girl, started for their home in the south part of the city, to fight the grim battle with poverty and live in peace and happiness once more.

"Put Me Off at Buffalo"

The Wabash line, the original Grand Army line, is in better shape this year to accommodate the old comrades and their friends than ever. Having its own rails into Buffalo it is not dependent on other lines for anything. From Decatur the noon train (11:30 a. m.) arriving at Buffalo in the morning carries through chair cars. The night train (11:30 p. m.) carries through sleepers arriving at Buffalo 4:15 p. m. All trains stop at Niagara Falls ten minutes. This regular service every day in the year. During the encampment many special trains will be run. All Wabash tickets permit stopovers at Niagara Falls. Call at the ticket office and get a folder of Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Take a Swim.

The Nat. at Riverside is now open every day and evening. It is the finest place in the city to spend an hour. The water is always fresh, clean and warm. Do not fail to take it in. Otto Weaver, a competent instructor always present.—3-dtf

Cheap Excursion to Centralia. Cheap \$1 excursion to Centralia and return next Sunday, August 8, via the Wabash. Don't miss an opportunity to visit southern Illinois. The great fruit belt of Illinois. Train leaves Decatur at 6:55 a. m. and runs via Litchfield and the J. L. & St. L.—3-dtf

Not only piles of the very worst kind can be cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, but eczema, scalds, burns, bruises, boils, ulcers and all other skin troubles can be instantly relieved by the same remedy. A. J. Stoner, & Son, Armstrong Bros. and N. L. Krone.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—C. A. Pollock was in Springfield today.

—Miss Eva Bixby is visiting in Assumption.

—Odin Williams, of Illinois, is visiting in the city.

—Dr. H. C. Bachman and wife returned today from a trip to the east.

—Attorney Hugh Cree went to St. Louis yesterday.

—Harvey Kinser started to New York last night, via Chicago.

—Mrs. Fred Cooper went to Litchfield today to visit for two weeks.

—Dr. Will Barnes went to Bement today on professional business.

—Mrs. M. T. Bonfield is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Fred Foster, of Chicago.

—Miss Grace Gilmore went to Shelbyville today to visit friends and relatives.

—Miss Jacques, of Hammond, is visiting with Misses Pearl and Eva Jeffers in the city.

—G. A. Fleming left today for Storm Lake and other points in Iowa, on a business trip.

—J. D. Sill, of Cerro Gordo, is visiting his brother, Attorney Edward Wilson, in the city today.

—Hon. and Mrs. H. D. Conklin, who have been spending the summer in Michigan, have returned home.

—Miss Emma Matthews, of Lincoln, is the guest of Misses Pearl and Eva Jeffers on North Monroe street.

—Mrs. John A. Swearingin, who has been seriously ill for two months, is now convalescent.

—Frank Stevenson forfeited a bond of \$3 in Justice Smith's court today. He was charged with drunkenness.

—Mrs. Phoebe L. Beatty, of Clinton, is in the city visiting her sons, James C. and George H. Beatty.

—Mrs. Homer Taylor, of Clinton, Ill., who has been visiting Mrs. Emma Short here, left today for Auburn, Ind.

—Misses Pearl and Eva Jeffers will entertain a party of friends tonight in honor of their guest, Miss Emma Matthews, of Lincoln.

—John R. Miller, Captain Bingham, J. J. Peddard and John McClelland and their families went to Mackinaw today to camp.

—Mrs. Mary E. Little, who has been visiting her stepfather, J. R. Mitchell in the city, returned to her home in Nevada, Mo., today.

—Mrs. S. M. Lutz and children, Caroline and Robert, accompanied by her father, Daniel Stokey, went to Lake Bluff today for a visit.

—Rev. and Mrs. Marion Baker and two children, have returned to their home at Fall River, Mass., after a short visit at the home of Dr. Bowers.

—Beatrice McConnell, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McConnell, is ill with the measles at her home on North College street.

—Arthur Bull, who recently moved with his folks from Milwaukee to this city, has transferred his membership in the Y. M. C. A. from that place to the Decatur association.

—Mrs. W. T. Dillehunt and daughter, Miss Laura Dillehunt, left this morning for Pastime park near Marion, where they will be guests of Marion Rathbone Sisters at the picnic in progress at that resort.

—Miss Jennie Badenhausen left today for an extended visit in Minnesota with friends. She will go to Chicago and then on to Duluth, where she will visit with Mrs. Beattie Cravath, formerly a teacher in the high school here.

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Relatives of the late John D. Henkle will arrive in the city this evening and tomorrow from Springfield and Chicago, to attend the funeral which will take place from the house Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Fined.

In the county court today Joseph Arthur was fined \$40 for gaming.

Edna Andrews was fined \$80 and costs for maintaining a lewd house.

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The Injunction of Judge Restraining Him Does His Notions of No Gov

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Claims the Effect Is to Speech and Peaceable A and Delivers Labor to Capital.

Pittsburg, Aug. 6.—Eugene who addressed the miners last night left today for Before leaving the city Del Judge Jackson of West Virginia an injunction restraining interfering with the Monon or its employees. Dobs a junction restrains me from any highway leading to the Mononagh Coal and Co. annihilates the rights of the blago and effectively suppresses speech. If sustained, and I will be, it sweeps away national safeguards and del hand and foot to corporate the injunction and the jud it in supreme contempt sion to raise my voice in furnishing miners in Jacks tion I propose to do so, or the attempt, totally regarding famous injunction. In re charge of deputies on guard mines, forcing miners to point of revolvers, President that the matter had been hands of attorneys and th miners' officials would go ask for an injunction res deputies. Said he: "The to compel any man to go will not stand. I have the names of many men manner, but prefer not to new for fear the men will

Imported Miners Do

Pittsburg, Aug 6.—miners expected to reach mines from Virginia this not show up. They may tomorrow.

The marchers continue At Plum Creek 80 men yesterday did not enter the ing. The officials of the custom of the men is to fore pay day, which is to strike in West Virginia Wheeling, W. Va., Aug to day the men on a strike tag back till today and burg, no field in the a dimitation in its output

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The State Miners' Conv at Springfield Resolv Delegation to D

Springfield, Ill., Aug ing of the second day's s miners convention today viding that Governor T convention brought s talk unfavorable to the resolution was passed, the invited and accepted H sympathy with the min they would win the stri a law abiding way, as ing. He declared he w power with the legislatio sation of miners to a satisfactory manner

A resolution was pass miners be sent to Decat physboro and four othe endeavor to get the m Thursday A resolution endeavor to organize working and try to get President Carou r working in the sever physboro, Cartersville and asked what action get them out.

CHICAGO ELEVAT

Four Persons Killed a Jured—Loss Half a Chicago, Aug 6.—T one unidentified man blown into the river an injured, is the terrible which attended the mour's Northwestern street and the river las The fire was the wo ment has handled sin the cold storage buildi fair grounds. In the 61 firemen w eluded Chief Swenl Musbam and Camp Chief Anderson. The